

THE WEATHER TODAY
Washington, D. C., April 28. —
Forecast for Eastern New York: Rain
Monday, cooler in interior; Tuesday
probably fair.

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ONEONTA, N. Y., MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1918

HUNS UNABLE TO MAKE DENT IN ALLIED LINE

BRITISH AND FRENCH HURL TEUTONS BACK

Voormezele Recaptured By English With Big Losses to Boche

HUNT YANKS IN BATTLE

Heavy Guns of Both Sides Hammering Away North of Avre Around Lassigny and Noyon

GERMAN PEOPLE BEGIN TO WORRY

Quiet in Italian and Macedonian Theatres—No Confirmation of New Russian Revolt

The entire Allied line in France and Flanders still stands firmly. Nowhere have the Germans been able to make a further dent in it. Hard fighting has been in progress on the Ypres sector around Voormezele and to the south of Loere. Both places have several times changed hands, but at last reports Voormezele had been recaptured by the British, but the Germans had obtained another foothold in Loere.

Voormezele was taken by the Germans Saturday, but the British in a night attack won it back and since have held it, inflicting heavy casualties on the Germans in renewed efforts to take the place.

German Everywhere Repulsed

The Germans have tried at several points along the front held by the French to pierce the line, but everywhere have been repulsed, notably in the St. Mihiel and Lunerville sectors, where recently American troops were stationed. Whether the Americans again came into combat with the enemy was not vouchsafed by the French official communication.

Aside from these attacks and a few unimportant operations between the British and the Germans artillery duels have predominated. The big guns of the French and the Germans have been carrying out mighty reciprocal bombardments north of the Avre river and in the region between Lassigny and Noyon.

As a whole there is no material change in the situation along the entire front over that of Saturday, and it is not evident that the Germans are prepared for the present to resume the offensive which has cost them so dearly in men killed, wounded or made prisoners. Reports coming by way of London are to the effect that in Germany there is much perturbation over the inability of the Teutons to pierce the Allied line and nervousness and depression over the losses the Germans have suffered.

No Confirmation of Russian Revolt

The operations in the Italian theatre continue of a minor character, consisting of small patrol encounters and artillery duels of more or less intensity on various sectors.

Likewise in Macedonia comparative quiet prevails, although there has been considerable shelling of opposing positions by the artillery and aerial bombing craft. Near Vetrnik the Serbians carried out a successful attack against the Bulgarians and annihilated the section they held.

Nothing new has come through either in the way of confirmation or denial of the report in circulation Saturday that a counter revolution had broken out in Petrograd and that Grand Duke Alexis Nikolaievich had been proclaimed Emperor of Russia.

HUNS INTERNED BY DUTCH ESCAPE

Thousands of Them Revolt When They Hear Germany Has Sent Ultimatum to Netherlands

Amsterdam, Holland, April 28.—The report current last week that Germany had sent an ultimatum to Holland led to a revolt among Germans interned at the Vapenveld camp, according to a dispatch from Battem, Holland, to the Het Volk. The guards are said to have been overpowered by 1,600 Germans who fled in all directions. Frontier points were notified immediately and mounted police searched the countryside. Many Germans succeeded in passing through Albe or Hengelo on the way back to Germany, but the police rounded up the majority of them in groups of 25 or 50.

JACKIE RISKS LIFE TO RESCUE DEPTH CHARGE

Bomb Had Broken Loose on Converted Yacht in Heavy Gale, Endangering Ship and Crew

Washington, D. C., April 28.—How John MacKenzie, a chief boatswain's mate in the naval reserve, by extraordinary heroism saved the converted yacht Remick on patrol service in European waters was told today in an announcement by Secretary Daniels that the navy department had awarded MacKenzie the medal of honor and a gratuity of \$1,000.

During a heavy gale on last December 17, a depth charge weighing several hundred pounds broke from its fastenings and went "sweeping" about the deck. The heavy seas washing over the quarter deck made it dangerous for any one to attempt to reach that part of the ship.

As officers and crew watched the bomb some one saw the safety pin fall out of the charge, making it a source of danger to the vessel and crew. MacKenzie, realizing the danger, shouted, "Watch me. I'll get it," and dashed from the deck flinging himself upon the charging cylinder. Three times the daring man almost had his arms about the bomb, but each time the seas tore it from him and once it almost crushed him. He stuck to the task, however, and on the fourth attempt got a firm grip on the cylinder, heaved up with one end and held it down until he could be run to him and he had the bomb safely lashed. Soon afterward the ship was headed up into the sea and the charge was carried to a place of safety.

Before the war MacKenzie had served four years in the regular navy. He is a native of Massachusetts and his mother, Mrs. Mary MacKenzie lives in South Hadley Falls, Mass.

50 AMERICAN VETERANS OF GREAT WAR RETURN

Most of Them Wounded or Gassed—Have Come Back to Push Liberty Loan Over Top

An Atlantic port, April 28.—Fifty American soldiers, most of whom have been wounded or gassed, have been brought to this port from France by order of President Wilson, to take part in the Liberty Loan campaign, according to an announcement made by the military authorities here today. The party, comprising enlisted men representing all branches of the army and commanded by Regimental Color Sergeant John J. Heffernan, arrived here on a transport last night. Sixteen will serve as loan speakers in the New York Federal Reserve district and the others will be sent to various parts of the country. Six of the men wear French war crosses awarded for gallantry in action, and all wear the gold "V" for foreign service. Many show by insignia on their right arms that they have been wounded.

"Americans go into battle cheering and waving their hats said Heffernan in describing conditions at the Franco-American front.

The idea was to put us on a quiet sector when we went over first, he said, but the sector did not remain quiet long with the Americans in it. They began firing the first minute they could and they have been fighting ever since.

"I remember one detail that was hauling ammunition to the front. We came to a road where we were told that we could not pass, as the Germans were shelling it.

"Well, boys, do we want to go over that road?" I asked.

"All of the men driving the ammunition trucks began to cheer and wave their hats as we dashed up the hill and over the forbidden road."

"We've got a fine lot of boys over there," he continued. "Charlie Taft, ex-president Taft's son, is one of them. I have seen him under the hardest conditions acting like the real man that he is."

Heffernan drew a gloomy picture of what the agriculturists in France will encounter after the war, asserting that "there are many unexploded shells in the fields and the farmer who plows them won't find his life worth anything."

SWANN IN FOURTH SUNDAY RAID

District Attorney of New York City Finds Austrian Woman With Letters From Men in Camps

Mother of Austrian Empress Is Deported

Paris, France, April 28.—The Princess Mary Antoinette, mother of Empress Zeita, has been ordered to leave Austria within 24 hours, and not re-enter that country until after the termination of the war.

Empress Zeita has been blamed by the pro-German party in Austria as being responsible for Emperor Charles' now famous letter to Prince Sixtus of Bourbon, his brother-in-law, in which he made overtures for peace to France. Anti-Teutonic tendencies have been attributed to the Empress because of her Bourbon descent.

REASONS FOR EVERY AVIATION ACCIDENT

Disregard of Instructions Given As One Most Prevalent Among Students At Camps

Dallas, Texas, April 28.—There is a reason for every aviation accident. Sometimes it is an obvious one, but too often only the dead flyer ever knew just what sent his machine crashing to the ground.

Up to the middle of April there had been 56 fatalities in the six Texas aviation camps and in many of the accidents that caused them no one knew just what unexpected condition, just what weakness in man or material had developed high in the air. Fort Worth, with its three aviation fields and its preponderance of flyers training under the British officers in the Royal Flying corps, had 49 deaths up to April 17; Houston was next with 16.

Crashes may be due to misapplication of rules, unfamiliarity with peculiar aerial conditions, faulty material in the airplane, sudden fright seizing the aviator or mere recklessness.

In flying there are no brakes to apply. The pilot must be alert and ready for any emergency. A plane just leaving the field has the advantage over a plane about to land in an impending disaster. The landing plane is going much faster than the one just "reeved up." The pilot just starting up must be careful not to misjudge his start and thus be overtaken by a plane that is powerless to avoid the crash.

One of the most common reasons for accidents, say instructors, is disobedience of orders. At a certain height and going at a certain well defined speed, so many loops or dives, or whatever maneuver is to be adopted, may be made with safety. If the aviator disregards the laws of mathematics in which he has been drilled and undertakes one more loop, the consequences may prove fatal.

Landing in a cross wind is highly dangerous. It frequently causes the plane to turn completely over and pins the pilot underneath the heavy engine.

There have been numerous deaths, flight commanders say, from pilots losing their nerve. The driver finds he has lost control of his engine, makes a frantic effort to right the plane, fails the first time, lapses into unconsciousness and the plane falls to earth at such terrific speed that the aviator is dead before he reaches the ground.

During their periods of instruction, cadets about to fly are given a strict course to follow in the air. The location in which some airplanes have fallen indicated that the cadets, once up in the air, disregarded their instructions and followed their own sweet will. According to the rules of the air if each plane has kept its course, under normal conditions collision with another plane is not possible.

ARREST TWO SPIES IN CALIFORNIA

Austrians Said to be Most Important German Agents in United States, Carrying Military Secrets

San Diego, Cal., April 28.—Albert Keff and Louis L. Grubber, both Austrians and whom federal agents believe are two of the most important German agents in the United States, were captured today at the international boundary at Tijuana, after having been followed through many states.

Both were said by federal authorities to have carried data concerning the naval and military activities of the United States.

According to the federal authorities Keff who is a former sergeant in the Fifth Field artillery, U. S. A., had just completed a tour of eastern and southern army camps and had joined Grubber.

Both men admitted their Austrian parentage and are said to have been supplied with funds from German propagandists at New York.

HOLD R. R. HEAD AS ENEMY

New Orleans, La., April 28.—William Edenborn, president of the Louisiana Railroad and Navigation company and a naturalized citizen of German birth, was arrested by department of justice officials tonight at Shrewsbury, La., on an affidavit charging violation of the espionage act. The arrest followed a meeting here of the executive committee of the National Security league, Louisiana district.

AID NATION EACH DAY URGES MR. ROOSEVELT

"Have No Right to Night's Rest" If You Do Not Says Colonel—Raps War Objectors

New York, April 28.—No American has a right to a night's sleep unless during the day he has done something to aid in the war against Germany, declared Col. Theodore Roosevelt tonight in urging a large audience at the Brooklyn Academy of Music to invest in the Third Liberty Loan.

"The man who does not think that it was America's duty to fight for her own sake, in view of the impudent conduct of Germany toward us, stands on a level with the man who would not think it necessary to fight in a private quarrel because his wife's face was slapped," asserted the former president, prefacing an attack on the "conscientious objector."

"I would try to find out what he is conscientious about," said the Colonel. "He may be conscientious about killing somebody else; he may be conscientious about keeping his own carcass safe from injury."

"If he merely objects to killing someone else, then send him to the front to dig trenches in the danger zone, or else put him on a mine sweeper. If he says that his conscience forbids him to do anything of the necessary work of national self denial, then I would answer that my conscience would forbid me to let him vote."

"The American who is not now heart and soul in favor of fighting this war through to a victorious conclusion is a traitor to this country and to mankind. He is unfit to live in America. He is unfit to be a free man, for his soul is the soul of a slave."

SHANGHAI PAPER SAYS JAPAN CONTROLS CHINA

Declares Peking Government Has Accorded to Sweeping Demands of Tokio Officials

Shanghai, China, Wednesday, April 24.—The statement is made in the first issue of the Shanghai Gazette, which has made its appearance under the editorship of Eugene Chen, that the Chinese government has agreed to new demands made by Japan which are of such a nature that the country has virtually been turned over to the Japanese. The Gazette asserts it has been informed by a high official at Peking that the Japanese demands are far more serious than those made by Japan in 1915.

"Notwithstanding the fact that the utmost secrecy is being observed," says the Gazette, "it may be stated safely that the following is not far from the true terms of the agreement:

"Chinese expeditionary forces sent to Siberia shall be commanded by a Japanese.

"Chinese police shall be organized by Japanese officers.

"Japanese shall control all of China's arsenals and dock yards.

"Japan shall have the privilege of working mines, in all parts of China.

"Special privileges shall be granted to Japan in outer and inner Mongolia and the whole of Manchuria.

"Other articles include provisions for financial control and educational assistance."

FURTHER IMPORT RESTRICTIONS

Shipping Board Acts to Provide Maj. Gen. Goethals, Quartermaster General, With More Tonnage

Washington, D. C., April 28.—New and far-reaching restrictions on imports are in process of formulation by the shipping board, to permit the furnishing of larger quantities of tonnage asked by Maj. Gen. Goethals, acting quartermaster general for the use of the army.

In addition to articles denied shipping space in the two restricted lists already issued, it was learned today many other commodities have been catalogued in a tentative list in which new prohibitions will be based as soon as investigations by the board's experts is completed. An effort is being made in co-operation with business men to find substitutes for restricted articles and materials so that the country will be placed virtually on a self-supporting basis.

Restrictions which might work hardships on friendly countries are also being studied with unusual care before any final action.

BANDITS ROB EXPRESS TRUCK

New York, April 28.—Four automobile bandits robbed a Wells Fargo Express company's truck on a ferryboat crossing the river to Jersey City early today and escaped with their loot. The police have been unable to obtain an estimate of the value of the goods stolen. The driver of the truck and his helper declared they were in the men's cabin and knew nothing of the robbery until the boat docked.

CARMELITE GENERAL DEAD

Englewood, N. J., April 28.—The Very Rev. Pius Mayer, general of the Carmelite Order, and one of the most widely known Catholic clergymen in the city, died here today of paralysis.

INTENSE FIGHTING BY YANKS REPULSES HUNS

D. & H. Shows Gain of \$2,585,163 in Income

New York, April 28.—The annual report of the Delaware and Hudson company, made public tonight, shows a gain in "miscellaneous income" of \$2,585,163, virtually all of which came from the road's coal department. With this aid the company earned a dividend of 9 per cent, with a surplus of after dividends of \$1,167,510. Without it the surplus would have been more than \$1,400,000 below dividend requirements.

RED CROSS BUILDING TOWN FOR BELGIANS

Overcrowded Conditions At Havre, France, Start Action For War-Made Exiles

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Paris, April 28.—"American generosity has made possible the erection of a Belgian village at Sanvic near Havre and to that generosity our compatriots will owe the hospitality which will alleviate the hardships of exile," says the Courier De L'Armee, a publication officially recognized by the Belgian Government as the organ of the Belgian army.

There is probably not a city in France which is as congested as Havre, and the problem of housing the surplus population and the Belgian Government, which has made that city its temporary home, became acute.

Then the American Red Cross, through its representatives to the Belgian Government, Major Ernest P. Bicknell and Major John van Schaick, came to the rescue. It was decided that a Belgian village which would be exclusively inhabited by Belgian refugees should be built. The necessary funds were immediately forthcoming, a site was chosen at Sanvic a few miles from Havre, the ground was broken, and already cottages stand where a few weeks ago there was a vacant field. The work will be completed in June and the village will be ready to receive its hundreds of Belgian refugees.

The dwellings will comprise from two to four rooms, they will be surrounded by gardens and everything possible will be done to give them a cheery and homelike aspect.

Two schools will be erected, a co-operative store operated, and a maternity hospital founded. A large building will be used as a meeting place and festival hall on holidays.

The village will administer its own affairs under the direction of an elective chief.

EXPECT OVERMAN BILL WILL PASS TOMORROW

Way Will Then Be Clear For Enactment of Much Delayed War Legislation

Washington, D. C., April 28.—Prospects of passage by the senate early this week of the Overman bill giving the president authority to reorganize government departments promises to open the way for enactment of a miscellaneous lot of war legislation.

On the program for completion during the week are the bills to extend the selective draft law to youths now 21 years of age and establish draft quotas on the basis of the number of men in class 1, the sedition bill, the housing bill and other measures.

New legislation for the expansion of the army and emergency appropriations is expected to assume definite form with a view for adjournment by July 1.

Following yesterday's setbacks for senate opponents of the Overman measure the senate tomorrow enters the fifth week of the bill's consideration, expecting its disposal not later than Tuesday. Rejection by votes of 41 to 37 and 42 to 35 respectively of amendments to except the federal reserve board and interstate commerce commission from the president's reorganization authority was regarded as assuring a final administration victory.

In the senate the bill appropriating \$50,000,000 for housing workmen at war centers is to be pressed immediately after the Overman measure. Opposition apparently has been increasing and another effort for limitation of commanding is planned.

GERMAN MISSING 664,104

Amsterdam, Holland, Saturday, April 28.—Speaking before the main committee of the German Reichstag on Friday, according to Vorwaerts, General von Rissberg stated that on March 31 last, the number of German missing had reached a total of 664,104. Of this number, he said, 236,516 were prisoners in France; 119,000 in England; 157,000 in Russia and Rumania, and the remainder could be regarded as dead.

OUR MEN FOIL BOCHE THRUST AT TOUL LINE

Germans Wear French Uniforms in Effort to Ensnare Allies

NEW OFFENSIVE COMING

Teutons Sounding Out Entente Lines in Flanders in Trials to Break Through

FRENCH HOLD FIRM IN PICARDY

Enemy Efforts to Pierce Line With Eight Divisions Results in Many Casualties

(By the Associated Press.)

With the American Army in France Saturday, April 27.—The enemy laid down a heavy barrage in front of the American trenches in the Toul sector at 3 o'clock this morning, the bombardment lasting an hour.

After an interval of silence, it repeated the performance at 5 o'clock and half an hour later the German infantry started for the American line. So intense was the American counter attack that the enemy was repulsed without getting close enough to be engaged by the American infantry.

The Germans have been stripping the bodies of dead French soldiers in other sectors and wearing these cities, has come over at the point where the French and American lines join. This method of attack was used during the attack on the Americans at Apremont forest three weeks ago. On that occasion they spoke French and said they had come to assist the Americans, but the ruse was discovered and they were driven off.

Kept From New Offensive

(By the Associated Press.)

With the French Army in France Saturday, April 27.—The stern opposition encountered by the Germans in their attacks in the region of the Somme and in Flanders near Kemmel hill, has prevented them thus far from developing their renewed offensive on the great scale which they undoubtedly intended. Each of their attacks may be regarded as an effort to prepare a way for a more extended action in the event of an important initial success at either point, but the resistance offered at both places apparently discouraged the German commanders from launching more serious attempts to break through.

In Picardy where the Germans attempted to divide the French from the British around Villers-Bretonneux and Hangard, the line remained today very much the same as it was before the attack was begun three days ago.

Allied Reserves Held Intact

There has been no resumption of infantry fighting since last night. The only result of the German onslaught in which they utilized eight divisions is the loss of a large number of men without an advance and certainly without obtaining any jumping off place for the hoped for real attack they had planned to make if successful. The Allied commander in chief decided when the Germans occupied Villers-Bretonneux and Hangard that their continued possession by the enemy would endanger the security of the line in front of Amiens and immediately sent forces with orders to recapture them. The attacks at these points were executed with the greatest courage and success.

Farther north where the Germans gained Kemmel hill by the employment of nine divisions, the allied commander in chief regarded it as unnecessary to make the sacrifice which would have been entailed to regain the lost territory which is not essential to the Allied positions. In this way the Allied reserves are spared intact for further use. Meanwhile the Germans are using up large numbers of their effectives without obtaining the important objectives at which they aimed. There is confidence among the Allies in the ability to hold the Germans wherever they chose to make a stand.

Yanks in Thick of Fight

Paris, France, April 28.—Violent artillery fighting occurred last night north of the Avre (southeast of Amiens) and in the region between Lassigny and Noyon (on the southern side of the Picardy battle front) the war office reported this afternoon. French troops repulsed German attacks northwest of Rheims and in the sector of St. Mihiel (near which are stationed the American troops which were attacked by the Germans a week ago), Lunerville (in the vicinity of which there has been an American force) and Lepretre road.

BASEBALL RESULTS

GIANTS AND RED SOX CONTINUE AS LEADERS

New York Team Loses First Game of Season; Boston Wins Six Straight and Drops Two

New York, April 28. — The New York Nationals and Boston Americans kept atop of their respective leagues during the past week, but the winning streak of both teams was interrupted. The Giants lost their first game of the season to Brooklyn Saturday, after having won nine straight. The victory was the first of the season for the Superbas, who had suffered nine successive defeats. The Boston Red Sox, with six straight wins to their credit, lost to New York Monday and dropped another game to Philadelphia Wednesday.

The New York Nationals' pitchers continued their effective work, and were amply rewarded by the batting of their team mates, whose average with the stick was .355. Tesreau held Boston in check Monday, after Barnes was batted out and Salter's good work Tuesday gave the Giants a clean sweep of the series with the Braves. Barnes won in the opening game at Brooklyn Wednesday and good batting gave the Giants a tenning game Thursday. Mitchell pitching his farewell game before joining the National Army was batted out by the Giants Friday. Cheney's pitching and batting Saturday prevented McGraw's men from taking the series.

The Philadelphia won five of their six games and had a clean record against Brooklyn. Boston lost its opening home game Wednesday, but won the next day. Main blanked Boston Friday and Hogg obtained his second win of the week Saturday.

Alexander Wins Last Game. Chicago won five and lost two games during the week. Alexander won Sunday against Cincinnati, but the Reds took the series by batting opportunely Monday and through Bressler's ability to scatter the Cubs' hits Tuesday. Chicago took four closely played games from St. Louis. Alexander on Friday pitched his last game before joining the National Army and won a duel with May by allowing only two hits. Tyler was victor Saturday in 12 innings. Wet grounds interfered with the Chicago-Pittsburgh game today.

Pittsburgh broke even with St. Louis in two games and took two out of three with Cincinnati. The Pirates pounded Packard Monday and lost Tuesday after obtaining a five run lead. The Pittsburgh home season was opened with a pitcher's contest between Miller and Schneider, the former yielding three hits and no runs. Pittsburgh hit Eller freely but lost yesterday. Cincinnati lost to St. Louis today.

Record of American League. In the American league Boston and Cleveland each won four games and lost two during the week. The winning streak of the Red Sox was ended Monday when New York batted out Leonard. Thormahlen held Boston hitless until the ninth inning Tuesday, but lost as the Yankees could not score on Bush, who allowed three hits. Gregg of Philadelphia opened the Athletics home season Wednesday by blanking Boston. The Red Sox took the next three games, with Mays, Leonard and Bush pitching. Cleveland won two and lost one each with St. Louis and Detroit. The Browns outsluged the Indians Sunday, but lost the next two. Detroit opened at home with Cobb in the line up and defeated Cleveland. The Tigers lost Thursday and Chapman's home run gave Cleveland a twelve in-

DECLARE SUICIDE HAD PLANS OF FORTRESSES

Man, Who Was Held For Disappearance of Girl, Accused By Wife He Deserted

Detroit, Mich., April 28. — An accusation that Helmut Schmidt was an agent of the German government and had spent some time making sketches of fortifications in New York harbor, is the latest development so far in the case of the man who killed himself in jail last Tuesday, after being arrested for murder in connection with the disappearance of a girl who answered a matrimony advertisement he inserted in a New York paper.

Mrs. Adele Leach Braun, who said Schmidt was married to her in Lakewood, N. J., in 1914 as "Emil Braun," made the statement to the officials working on the case. She came here to claim the body of the man who shortly before his suicide told the police that Augusta Steinbach of New York, who came here a year ago in answer to his advertisement for a wife, killed herself when she learned he was married.

Mrs. Braun said she also met Schmidt through a matrimonial advertisement and charges that after they were married Schmidt took from her \$3,500, as well as several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry. Schmidt, she said, then disappeared. No trace has been found by the police of Irma Pailant, who, they say, came here from Lakewood, N. J., as his housekeeper and disappeared while in his employ. Searchers today began excavating the house where Schmidt lived.

ning victory yesterday. Rain prevented today's game. Chicago's schedule was destroyed by rain. After losing to Detroit Wednesday the world's champions rested until Friday, when they defeated St. Louis. Although held to three hits by Sothern they beat the Browns again today. New York divided four games with Washington. Russell won the opening game at New York and repeated Saturday. Yingling won Thursday and Johnson pitched his first win of the season Friday. Philadelphia defeated Washington twice. Eddie Collins, second baseman of the Chicago Americans, made a world's record Friday by having played 473 consecutive games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

SEASON'S FIRST TRIPLE.

Comes in Game Between Reds and St. Louis, Later Winning, 3 to 2. Cincinnati, Ohio, April 28. — Poor fielding by the Cincinnati team in the seventh inning gave St. Louis today's game, which was featured by the first triple play of the season. In the first inning Smith, St. Louis center fielder, singled, and went to third on Niehof's hit to right. Baird hit sharply to Groh, who threw to Magee, forcing Niehof at second, and the ball was relayed to first base in time to retire the batter.

R H E
St. Louis ... 00000120—3 9 1
Cincinnati ... 10000001—2 1 2
Game called on account of rain.
Batteries — Sherdell and Gonzales; Schneider and Allen.

Pittsburgh and Chicago, wet grounds.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

WHITE SOX BEAT BROWNS.

Bunched Hits and Sacrifice Fly Give Chicago Series by 2 to 1 Score. St. Louis, Mo., April 28. — Collins and Jackson bunched two of the five hits off Sothern with a sacrifice fly in the ninth inning today and Chicago won from St. Louis, 2 to 1. This gave Chicago the series.

R H E
Chicago ... 000001001—2 5 3
St. Louis ... 000000100—1 6 0
Batteries — Faber and Schalk; Sothern and Nunnemaker.

Cleveland and Detroit, rain.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

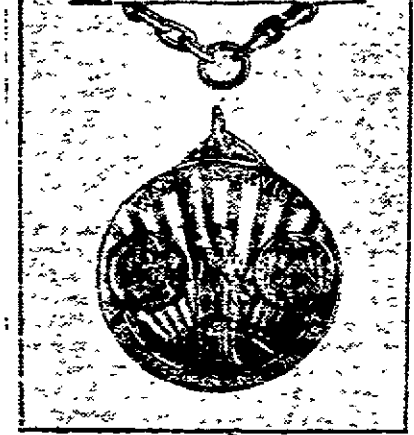
National League.
Brooklyn, 5; New York, 2.
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 1.
Cincinnati, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.
Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 4. (Twelve innings.)

American League.
New York, 2; Washington, 1.
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 1.
Cleveland, 3; Detroit, 2. (Twelve innings.)
Chicago-St. Louis—rain.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

National League.				
Team.	W.	L.	Pct.	
New York	9	1	.900	
Philadelphia	8	2	.800	
Chicago	6	3	.667	
Cincinnati	5	5	.500	
Pittsburgh	4	4	.500	
St. Louis	3	6	.333	
Boston	2	8	.200	
Brooklyn	1	9	.100	
American League.				
Team.	W.	L.	Pct.	
Boston	10	2	.833	
Cleveland	6	2	.750	
Chicago	3	2	.600	
New York	5	7	.417	
Detroit	2	3	.400	
Washington	4	6	.400	
Philadelphia	3	7	.300	
St. Louis	2	6	.250	

UNITED STATES TREASURY WAR SERVICE AWARD



Just before the close of the Third Liberty Loan campaign the 400,000 Boy Scouts of America will make a "clean-up" house-to-house canvass. Each scout or scout official who induces ten or more persons to buy Liberty Bonds will be awarded a war service emblem. The illustration shows the front of the emblem. Scouts who won emblems in either or both of the previous loans will receive a bar to be suspended from the medal.

Camera Locates Sunken Vessels.

A powerful electric submarine camera that a New York man has invented is expected to get as much information about sunken vessels in a short time as it would take experienced divers days to gather.

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, May 1, Eagle, Norwich, May 4, adv. 12

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The New York Market.

New York, April 28. — The confidence of investors and foreman in financial interest in the ultimate result of the world conflict was again demonstrated in this week's dull but firm stock market.

Trading lapsed into the narrow groove which accompanied the first weeks of the German drive along the western front, but the undertone was distinctly stronger. Activity was confined to an old assortment of specialties, some of which responded to the bullish operations of professional interest at substantial gains.

General conditions affecting the railroads and leading industries of the country were unchanged save insofar as they indicated an increasing understanding between the leaders of finance and industry and the government.

February statements of the important transportation companies were again of the familiar variety, showing heavy decreases in net income. Financial returns of the leading steel and iron companies were of more encouraging character.

The quarterly statement of the United States Steel corporation will be issued next Tuesday, at which time will also occur the meeting of the directors to act on the dividends. In well-informed quarters it is believed that no change in disbursements will be made.

Official revision of prices is soon to be announced by the war board in copper, rubber and other important commodities. Conditions favor an increase, rather than the reverse, from prevailing schedules.

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 5,670; creamery, higher than extras, 45¢; 45¢; extras (22 score), 44¢; firsts, 42¢; 44¢; packing stock, current make No. 2, 31¢; 32¢.

Eggs — Steady; receipts, 38,842; fresh gathered extras, 35¢; 35¢; fresh gathered storage packed firsts, 36¢; 37¢; regular packed extra firsts, 34¢; 35¢; state Pennsylvania and nearby western hennerly white, fine to fancy, 41¢; 42¢; do brown, 38¢; 39¢; do gathered brown and mixed colors, 35¢; 37¢.

Cheese — Steady; receipts, 9,381; state whole milk flats, held specials, 24¢; 25¢; do fresh, 22¢; 23¢; state,

whole milk flats held average run, 23¢; 24¢; do fresh, 22¢; 23¢.

Poultry — Live and dressed: firm and unchanged.

ONEONTA MARKET.

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Corn meal, table use ... \$4.85 @ 5.35
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Seed wheat, per bushel.. \$2.50
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Eggs, fresh laid dozen... 33
Veal, sweet milk veals .. 15 @ 19
Dressed pork 22
Dressed beef 13 @ 14
Veal, grain fed 12 @ 13
Pewees, lbs. 25¢
Potatoes \$1.00
Apples 75 @ 1.00
Maple syrup, gal. \$1.25 @ 1.35
Maple sugar, lb. 15 @ 20

Hides.

(Quoted by Miller Hides Co.)

Cow hides 9
Bull hides over 55 lbs. . 3
Horse hides \$5.00 to \$5.50
Dairy skins \$1.75 to \$2.00
Veal skins \$2.25 to \$4.00
Grassers, per pound 13

MATTY TO STAY WITH REDS.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 28. — Christopher Mathewson, manager of the Cincinnati Nationals, announced tonight that he will remain with the local team for the present at least and will not accept the invitation extended by the officials of the Y. M. C. A., to go to France and promote baseball among the American soldiers "over there."

In speaking of his decision Mathewson said he had definitely decided that he can do more good on this side by helping the government selling Liberty Loan bonds, thrift stamps and otherwise in a financial manner.

EXPULSION MINISTER TO APPEAL.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., April 28. — Rev. O. E. Aiken of Burlington, who was expelled from membership in the Vermont Methodist Episcopal conference which closed in session here tonight, announced tonight that he would take his case to the conference court of appeals. The hearing will be held in Boston at a date not yet determined. Mr. Aiken was found guilty at the trial conducted by his fellow members, of untruthfulness and immorality.

HUN DIPLOMAT TO UKRAINIA.

New York, April 28. — Baron Mumm von Schwartzstein, formerly German Ambassador to Tokio, has been appointed temporary diplomatic representative of Germany in Ukraina and left for Kiev March 11, say German newspapers received here.

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Beginning Monday, April 29th, we will pick up laundry in certain sections of the city only on the days specified, as follows:

1. Section bounded on the south by Main street, west by Church street, and east by Walling avenue. Collection made on Mondays and Thursdays only.

2. Balance of central city bounded by West street and Cliff street on the west, Tilton avenue on the east, including section south of Main street and Lower Main street. Collection will be made on Tuesdays and Fridays.

3. Balance of fifth and sixth wards and section east of Tilton avenue will be collected Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If patrons will endeavor to have their laundry ready for collections on the days specified for their section it will greatly facilitate the picking up of laundry and enable us to give better service.

On and after Monday, April 29th, a delivery charge of 3c per package will be made on all bundle work which we deliver.

Buckley Brothers Co. Steam Laundry

ONEONTA THEATRE
MAT. 2:30 10c EVE. 7:15-9 P. M. 15c War Tax Included
TODAY ONLY
DE LUXE PRESENTATION
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"Little Miss Optimist"
Today we are going to have a beautiful and thrilling photoplay of love and sacrifice, with a star whose charm is recognized from coast to coast and who is fast becoming one of the leading attractions on the screen.
The story is from an original by Gardner Hunting and is all a Paramount Picture should be.
We suggest you see this picture at the matinee, as the unusual popularity of Miss Martin always brings a great evening demand for seats and we are anxious for your comfort as for you to see this delightful photoplay.

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And—THE EAGLE'S EYE

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From Now Until May 1st
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On all purchases of jewelry, clocks, silverware and cut glass there will be a discount of 20 per cent deducted.
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25 Everbearing Raspberry Plants.....\$1.00
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100 Strawberry Plants.....\$2.00
Everbearing Plants, 21-2c each
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Grape Vines, each 30c
Dahlias (Reds and Yellows), each tuber 6c
Rambler Roses, heavy field grown, each 50c
We have 250 planting varieties in our nursery. Write giving want lists.

Eggs for Hatching and Day Old Chicks
The E. B. Thompson Strain Barred Rocks—Eggs for hatching, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs or \$8.00 per hundred. Also a few fine pullets and cockerels of the Thompson strain.
The Tom Barron Strain White Leghorns, Single Comb—Eggs for hatching, \$1.00 for 15 eggs or \$6.00 per 100.
Rock Chicks, Thompson strain, \$25.00 per hundred.
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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

MILFORD IS ENTHUSIASTIC.

Town Will Go Over the Top—Remarkable Address by Prof. Jones.

Milford, April 28.—An enthusiastic Liberty Loan meeting was held at the town hall, Portlandville, Friday evening, with the hall nearly filled to its capacity. The meeting was opened by several selections by the Milford town orchestra, followed by a brief announcement by C. J. Armstrong, chairman of the town Liberty Loan committee. Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. A. Foss, of the Christian church, followed by a song by the Portlandville male quartet. There followed three stirring addresses on the war situation and the necessity of subscribing to the third Liberty Loan, by Prof. Walker of Portlandville, and Rev. N. S. Becker and Rev. N. E. Ripley of Milford. Their remarks were forcible expressions of our duty to our country and why we should buy Liberty Bonds.

Following a selection by the orchestra, H. J. Jones of Cornell University, a member of the Liberty Loan committee who has been touring this section for the past two weeks, was introduced and from the beginning to the conclusion of his address, he held the audience spellbound. It was one of the most remarkable addresses ever listened to in this town and when he concluded the committee voiced the wish that every man and woman in the town could have been present to hear him. He gave official information and facts concerning the war and the part America must play if we win and his stirring appeal to back up our boys touched the heart of everyone.

Following the conclusion of the address, the committee went on to the town hall and the audience, fully awake to the danger which confronts our country, responded quickly. The amount secured was about \$5,000. The town of Milford will secure its quota and double it if possible. The meeting closed with the singing of "America."

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

LATEST SIDNEY BULLETIN.

Jean Esther, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis, Dies Friday.

Sidney, April 28.—Jean Esther, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis, died after a brief illness at the Moore-Overtown hospital in Binghamton Friday morning at 8 o'clock. The remains were brought to Sidney that evening and a brief funeral service was held from the Lewis home this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. E. R. Ladbroke officiating. Burial was in Prospect Hill cemetery. The death of this little

one came as a great surprise to the many friends of the family. Its birth occurred at the hospital April 17 and mother and child were reported as doing finely. Death was caused by a blood vessel in the stomach bursting. Blood infusion was performed, but this aid was of no avail.

Steals Cheese; Fined \$35.

Last week Morton M. DeGraw, a well known O. & W. trainman, was brought before Justice Seeley on a charge of having early in April stolen a cheese from the freight platform in this village and which had been shipped by the Phoenix Cheese company. The charge was made by O. & W. Police Chief Grant Wilson and he was assisted in the prosecution by Special Officer Charles Abel. DeGraw pleaded guilty to the charge and paid a fine of \$35.

Kaiser Branch for Walton.

One of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings under the aus-

pices of the Walton Chamber of Commerce, was held in that village Friday evening to meet Mr. Myer and Mrs. Decker of the Julius Kayser company with regard to locating a branch of the business in Walton. The matter which has been under discussion some time, was brought to a successful issue Friday evening and the firm at once will begin plans for locating a big branch there. Several future employees will come to the Sidney factory this week to begin the study of the different branches of work that will be done in Walton.

\$100 Raised for K. of C. War Fund.

About \$100 was realized at the benefit given by the Sacred Heart church for the Knights of Columbus war fund Friday evening. The lecture by Rev. Father Galvin was greatly enjoyed, as was also the fine musical program given. That evening the address given by Hon. Samuel Jones of Norwich at the anniversary of the Odd Fellows was an oratorical treat. It was of an appropriate character, both patriotic and regarding Odd Fellowship. A musical program was also enjoyed at this affair.

Funeral of Lieut. Otto E. Seerest.

The funeral of Lieut. Otto E. Seerest, which was held yesterday afternoon at his home, was very largely attended. The ceremonies were of a military character, the members of the Second platoon of Company I, New York Guard, of which he had been in command, attended in a body. They were in charge of the company commander, Captain Arthur Connor of Walton. Mr. Seerest was also a member of the Sidney Fire department, and for several years had been secretary of Cartwright Hook and Ladder company. The fire department also attended the services. There were many beautiful flowers.

HEARD IN HOBART.

Hobart, April 27.—A. Gould Sullivan is seriously ill at his home, suffering from pneumonia. Owing to his advanced years but little hope of his recovery is entertained.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ives of Troy were the guests of his brother on Friday. Mr. Ives is in the employ of the government.—Mrs. H. H. Sullivan is visiting friends in Prattsville.—The body of Mrs. John Coons was brought here today from Meridale for interment in Locust Hill cemetery. Mrs.

Coons formerly resided here and is quite well known.—Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gallup, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Odell and son, Edward, and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rose were Oneonta visitors on Saturday.—A son, John Robert, was born Friday night to Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Calhoun.

CUT DOWN ON STAR BOARDER

Boston Committee Plans for Special Boarder's Pledge Card in That City.

Boston.—A special boarder's pledge card may soon be in circulation in this city as a means of food conservation in boarding houses. This is not a new boarding house joke, but a plan of the women's committee of the Council of National Defense. Of course the boarding house patron will protest against conservation of food—he always has—but without results. Here is the card the women's committee would have boarders sign:

"I, at present a boarder in this city, hereby accept membership in the United States food administration, pledging myself, as a patriotic duty, to co-operate with the proprietor in the conservation of meat, wheat, sugar and fats, according to the directions and advice of the food administrator."

GIVES NEW 'MONKEY THEORY'

R. L. Darwin Says Animals Seek Salt, Not Fleas, When They Scratch. Some of our theories about monkeys are all wrong, according to Darwin, modern naturalist, who lives on the Island of Guam.

That monkeys are not searching for fleas when examining the fur of one another, but are in quest of little masses of salt-tasting solution that exude from the pores of the skin, is the opinion of Sergt. Robert L. Darwin, a retired member of the United States marine corps, who is the owner of a monkey ranch on the Pacific coast.

Darwin does not suggest the raising of monkeys to relieve the salt scarcity, neither does he claim relationship with the author of "Origin of Species."

Knitter Wins Medal From King. Because she knitted so much for British soldiers, Mrs. Margaret Cameron, eighty-four years old, of Grand Forks, N. D., has been awarded a war medal from King George.

MRS. DE WEESE COULD NOT STAND

Because of Functional Disorder—Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oakland, Cal.—"I suffered from irregularities and congestion, so I could not stand on my feet for any long period of time and did not sleep well. The physician who treated me did not seem to help me any and a friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and before I realized it I was well. I shall recommend your valuable remedy to my friends."—Mrs. L. H. Dr. Weese, 605 Alcatraz Ave., Oakland, Cal.

Every woman at some period or other in her life suffers from just such disturbances as did Mrs. De Weese, and if there is no interested friend to advise, let this be a reminder that this famous root and herb remedy has been overcoming these ailments of women for more than 40 years.

If any complications exist, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of many years experience is at your service.

After Baby's Bath 10,000 nurses will tell you that nothing keeps the skin so free from soreness as Sykes Comfort Powder

Its extraordinary healing and soothing power is noticeable on first application. 25c at the Winsor and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

REMEMBER THE TUSCANIA IS AMERICAN SLOGAN

Our Soldiers and Sailors Will Not Forget Gallant Lads Who Went Down With Her.

When the men of the army or the navy make up their minds to "remember" something, they do not forget. And they "remember" by acting. The Alamo was "remembered" and the Maine was "remembered"—not in bloodthirsty hatred, but in the spirit of justice. It is proverbial that Americans are slow to anger, that their good nature can stand a great deal of rubbing the wrong way before it becomes bristly.

Because the American people as a whole have not been giving expression from the housetops to hatred over the unrighteous methods employed in German warfare, the German autocrats have been trying to convince the German masses that America's heart is not in this war. Not long ago a handful of American engineers fought an overpowering force of Germans and fought it to a standstill. It was then that some of the Germans at least were convinced that the new foes could be "fighting mad."

"Men can be fighting mad," said an American army officer recently, "even when they are smiling."

"Now, in this 'remembering' business," the men of the navy and the men of the army have determined to "remember the Tuscania" and the gallant lads who went down with her. But these men should not be expected to do all the "remembering." The whole nation should "remember" that disaster, and every man, woman and child in the land can do so. Every person who buys Liberty bonds can put himself on record as having "remembered" the Tuscania and the lads who lost their lives when she was torpedoed off the Irish coast."

LITTLE GIRL IN MAIL

It Took 25 Cents' Worth of Stamps to Send Her Home.

Opal Davis, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Davis of Brownstone, Ind., was mailed home recently. The girl, who is about seven years of age, had gone to Clear Spring to visit relatives. When it was time for her to catch the train it was learned that it was snowbound. The roads were in such condition that no one wished to drive her through. The result was that her aunt decided to send the child by mail.

Opal was taken to the post office at Clear Spring and found to be within the weight limit of the first zone. It took 25 cents' worth of stamps to mail her with her clothing, and she made the trip to this place with Gilbert Bail, rural mail carrier. After the post office had taken due note of her arrival and saw that the stamps had been properly cancelled she was permitted to go home.

OLD DEBT IS WIPED OUT

United States Squares Accounts With South Dakota Widow After Many Years.

Selby, S. D.—Mrs. George, a widow of Selby, recently received from the post office department at Washington a sum of money which her husband earned nearly sixty years ago.

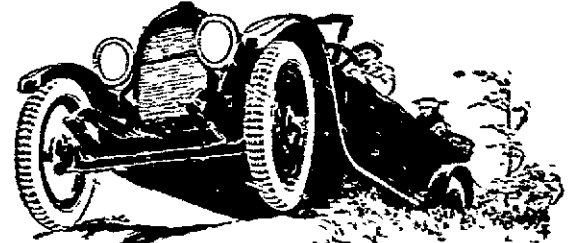
Just preceding the Civil war Mr. George was a mail carrier in Virginia. With the war and the separation of West Virginia from Virginia, accounts became badly mixed, and Mr. George's pay was lost track of.

Recently some inquisitive clerk in the department ran across the account, an investigation was started, and the long delayed compensation was forwarded to Mrs. George.

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A Letter From Your Uncle Sam

My dear Nephews and Nieces:

Probably every one of you has at some time in your life had occasion to loan money to a friend who needed help. Many of these loans have been made in spite of the fact that you needed the money yourself. Some have been paid and there are probably a good many that have not. Nevertheless a dear friend will come to you again some time in the future and you will dig down into your pockets and do without something you really need so as to help him over a bad place.

Can't you do as much for me now that I need your help? I don't want you to help me for my own sake, but I want you to help me for your sake and for that of every other nephew and niece of Uncle Sam.

Some of you, probably most of you, have relatives and dear friends going over to risk life in my behalf. You and I can't let them go over unequipped and I want from you a loan of every last dollar that you can spare, or that you can't spare, so that not a single life or limb will be lost because you and I did not do our duty at home in equipping the boys.

The loan I ask you to make, unlike some of those made to friends, will be paid and, until the time of its payment, it will be secured by every bit of property in this country. While I owe you the money I will pay you 4% per cent interest every year. I doubt if any of your friends to whom you loaned money have thought of paying you interest on it.

If you need the money yourself at a later date you will have no trouble in finding someone who will buy from you the bond which will represent your loan to me. When the war is over many people will pay you a good deal more than you are loaning me for the bond.

Don't wait until tomorrow. Subscribe today at any bank.

Yours for Liberty and Freedom, UNCLE SAM.

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PILE UP THE SUBSCRIPTIONS.

While there seems to be no doubt that the Third Liberty loan will be fully subscribed, there has not been such speed in the work as had been hoped for. More than two of the three billions has already been raised, but there remains only a week, and \$890,000,000 of the total sum as yet unplaced. Liberty day put a great impetus into the drive, and it is hoped that the enthusiasm thus engendered will continue until not merely the three billions, but half as much more, is subscribed.

In these stirring and desperate times there is one thing which everybody should strive to do, and that is to pile up the subscriptions. It is not merely to subscribe what one can do without discomfort or inconvenience. Anybody who has the money can do that. It is to subscribe all one feels that he possibly can and more. No one, it has been properly said, is really giving anything, or making any sacrifice, unless he gives all it pinches.

The word "giving," however, is really a misnomer. Nobody is really giving in this Liberty Loan drive. What in fact is happening is that everybody is having a chance to share in the greatest financial opportunity which has ever been offered in the United States or elsewhere—an opportunity to invest in the safest and most reliable of securities, and one which stands ahead of anything else in the country, since all the resources of the country are pledged for its payment.

Oneonta has over-subscribed the quota which was assigned to her. But she should not stop there. She should subscribe not this merely, but every dollar which she can afford. And in the subscription list there should not be lacking the name of a single person who can possibly raise the money in the coming year. With the liberal arrangements made for payment, the fact that one does not have all the money in hand is no reason for declining to subscribe.

OF INTEREST TO EMPLOYERS.

Among the laws of 1918 which have been signed by the Governor and will at an early date become effective is one which to a considerable extent amends the present Workmen's Compensation law in several important particulars. One of them makes it imperative for all employers of four or more workmen or operatives to take out compensation insurance on these employees.

Employers who neglect to take out compensation insurance are liable to both civil and criminal prosecution, and under the penal code may be convicted of a misdemeanor, which carries a jail sentence in the discretion of the trial judge. Such employers are also deprived of interposing any common law defense in any actions that may be brought against them for accidents happening to their employees.

The 1918 amendments to the Compensation law extend the so-called "hazardous groups of employment" already in the law to all employments in which four or more workmen or operatives are regularly engaged.

All employers to whom the provisions of the amended law apply should give the matter immediate consideration. The amendments become effective May 12, and before that time all persons interested are expected to fully comply with the above requirements.

COUNTY HAS BLACK MARIA.

Will Carry Prisoners Between the Jail and County Farm.

The county of Otsego has purchased a Ford car especially equipped to carry jail prisoners to and from the County Farm where in accordance with a recent resolution of the Board of Supervisors, they will be compelled to earn by the sweat of their brow the good feed that the county's bounty provides for them.

Sheriff VanZandt hails from the hill country adjacent to Decatur, where every man is expected to earn his own living, and he has some well defined notions in this respect which are incompatible with the management of a boarding house where the guests while away in idleness and dissipation a valuable time that might be usefully employed. The sheriff is responsible for the innovation that will compel prisoners to work. The potato field at the county farm will be to his hotel what the golf links are to the more pretentious hotelier.—[Journal.]

Swindling the Parents of Soldiers. Parents of soldiers in camps are warned by the War department of a swindle which has been successfully operated in various camps.

A telegram is sent informing that the soldier has a furious, and requesting funds by wire to come home, waiving identification. The rest is a mere matter of detail.

Parents and friends should be warned of this game and of the similar one where the telegraphic request is to mail money to the soldier, care general delivery.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

His Stronghold.

La Follette seems to be stronger in the Senate than he is in Wisconsin.—[Philadelphia Telegraph.]

There Let Us Stand.

Our forefathers dedicated this nation to the preservation of freedom, there let us stand.—[Anacosta Standard.]

Through Is Way Out.

We thoroughly agree with the chairman of the American labor delegation visiting England that the way out of the war is through it.—[Buffalo Commercial.]

Not Built That Way.

Authorities are complaining of the wear and tear of automobile transport service on the state roads. State roads were not built to stand wear and tear.—[Buffalo Enquirer.]

What the Dutch Will Do.

We suspect the Dutch, after they rant and roar about the seizure of the ships, will return to some secluded spot where the Germans can't hear them, and enjoy a real good laugh.—[Houston Post.]

Price of Bolshevism.

Bolshevism has brought a species of peace, it is true, but at what cost of national honor and territorial integrity. Can any sane Democrat elsewhere believe in it for a moment?—[Boston Post.]

Ireland's Mistake.

What sacred privilege attaches to an Irishman in Ireland that he shall not be made to fight against Germany as Irishman of Wales, or Scotland, or Canada are made to fight against Germany? Not in this country, not in any country that is fighting Germany, will "the audacious preposterousness" be swallowed that an Irishman of Ireland may sulk and skulk, may hate England more than he loves freedom, may join hands with its inexcusable foes. Whether the opposition to conscription comes from Cardinal, Archbishop, Bishop, priest, or from those Sinn Féin ruffians who insulted American sailors and the American flag, Americans and all the other, law-abiding citizens against Germany regard the enemies of Irish conscription as their enemies. Venerable ecclesiastical titles cannot shelter them. Whether from learned Bishops or from frothing politicians, this resistance to conscription is a stab at freedom.—[New York Times.]

Wise Old Jagsby.

Jagsby had a fine cook who commanded big wages. Now she has another job where she works harder than ever, does housework and washing in addition to cooking, and gets very poor pay.

"Why doesn't she give the poor job up for a better one?"

"She can't. He married her."—[Baltimore American.]

The Supreme Moment.

The summons which Sir Douglas Haig has issued to his troops to die in their tracks if he be, and his confession that the success of the British army in its efforts to withstand the German tide depends not only on the heroism of his men but upon the assistance of a French army which is moving to its support is deeply serious, but at the same time it reveals the desperation of the German attempt. If the Germans are putting forth so great an effort to separate the British from the French, and are staking all on the success of an attempt to reach the channel ports, it is because none except an extreme course is open to them. Germany must do these two things or fail. If the British line holds, as undoubtedly it will hold, the German cause is lost—and that is the reason why the German command is willing to stake the lives of half its army on the throw that it has made. It is in reality Germany's forlorn hope, not the Allies.—[Boston Transcript.]

Intolerance.

Rectors who cannot tolerate the flag, professors of sociology who refuse to accept the restraints of the law and conscientious objectors who would rather go to prison than to war are queer products of present conditions. That is they are queer unless we accept them as more or less conscious disciples of German propaganda.—[New York World.]

SUES TO RECOVER \$300.

Value of Lighthouse Plant for Louis Schumann of Kortright.

Judge Kellogg, at court chambers here on Saturday, heard the suit instituted by the Night Commander Lighting company of Jackson, Mich., against Louis Schumann of Kortright, the plaintiff seeking to recover \$300, the alleged purchase price of a lighting generating plant and appliances, pursuant to a written contract.

The defendant maintains that the plaintiff cannot recover by reason of a provision of the code of civil procedure, which requires that the company in order to do business in this state file a certificate with the secretary of state. This it was contended, had not been done. The plaintiff contends that the contract was accepted and completed in the state of Michigan and that the code does not bar him from recovering. The defendant further alleges that the plant was never actually delivered to him as per contract. The evidence was heard and 10 days were given the attorneys in which to file briefs. O'Connor & O'Connor of Hobart appear for the plaintiff and John G. Johnson of this city for the defendant.

Schuyler County Reaches Quota.

E. N. Potter, chairman of the Binghamton district, has received a telegram from Warren W. Cline, of Watkins, stating that Schuyler county has reached its quota of \$173,000. This places Schuyler near the top of the list of New York State counties. Schuyler is the first county in Potter's district to subscribe its quota.

CRUSHING IT!



OTSEGO OVER ITS QUOTA

CAMPAIGN OF FLYING SQUADRON ENDS BUT WORK CONTINUES.

Oneonta Subscriptions Now Aggregate Over \$500,000, Which Carries County Over with Safe Margin—Only Few Villages Lag.

The week's campaign in Otsego for the Liberty Loan Flying Squadron, with the Oneonta band and Prof. Jones, Sergeant Downs and Private Weiss as top liners, ended with big rallies at Unadilla Saturday afternoon and at Worcester in the evening. The workers were going strong and regretted that the time in Otsego had ended. While no figures are available from Unadilla, it is reported that the net results were satisfactory and the community will have its full quota before the close of the present week. The campaigners did not leave Unadilla until nearly 6 o'clock, arriving here at about 6:30 o'clock. Oneonta motorists hustled them to Worcester in fast time, where, after a short time for dinner, a band concert was followed by a rally in the "Fighting Opera house." The response from Worcester was encouraging, over \$10,000 was subscribed, carrying the banking center over and making a fitting climax to the week's work.

Oneonta's total subscription now reaches about \$522,000, while the quota is \$361,800, the over-subscription here and at other places making up for any deficiency, which may exist at a few points, although it is now believed that practically every community will before the week is past have secured its allotment.

There will be no cessation of activities here or elsewhere, however, if the counsel of the committee prevails. The government hopes to have the amount largely over-subscribed and the workers, including the Boy Scouts, are expected to make a whirlwind effort to bring the figures far above the minimum allotted. Oneonta and in fact the entire county received an impetus from the speeches of the Flying Squadron which will continue long. For the first time evidences are seen that the people are aroused to the fact that our liberties are at stake and that the nation and the world has nothing but thralldom before it if imperialism and Prussianism are not effectively crushed at this time.

This evening a big rally will be held at Schenectady with Dr. Russell the principal speaker. Arrangements are being made by Dr. Winsor and other patriotic residents of Laurens for a mass meeting there during the week, possibly on Wednesday evening.

ONEONTA'S VOTE FOR DRY

A Step in the Right Direction—Now on the Right Road Says Sidney Record.

Oneonta with a future promise of expanding into a second-class city, is to be congratulated upon its recent decision to join the dry forces and the city vote of last week marks an important stride along the street called straight.

The handwriting on the wall needs no Daniel to interpret. It reads, "No License." Those in Oneonta who are disappointed, should submit the good sports, to the "inevitable." They are not alone by any means, for the same token, on the same day, a vote on the dry column, Binghamton and Norwich among them.

But Oneonta's hop on the water wagon does not merely concern the city limits alone. Its influence will reach a far larger surrounding territory, including the very township itself, which long ago voted no license, along with other villages within a radius of thirty miles. The territory outside of the city voted no-license many years ago and governed itself accordingly. Oneonta's vote for dry, after October, will end this anomaly, and clarify the situation. Oneonta will cease to be a Mecca for thirsty Germans and the resultant disorders that inevitably spread into its adjacent no-license villages and territory. And when Oneonta itself becomes accustomed later on to the rule of temperance, under no circumstances will license ever hold control there again.

The business men will soon discover more promptness in the payment of bills; the shoe stores will be amazed at the boom in children's shoes; the dry goods and clothing stores will secure increased sales of children's suits and supplies and better trade in every line. The Liberty Loan bonds, the Thrift Stamps will join the tide of prosperity; building will take renewed lease of life and Oneonta will have more happy and contented homes.

If this forecast be true, would Oneonta ever vote for license again? No, not in a thousand years.—[Sidney Record.]

Working for Germany.

The assistant librarian of a Pittsburgh library observed that a man passing for a Belgian had been visiting the library for a year and poring over maps of the railroad systems of the United States. Another man came in the other day and handed the supposed Belgian a note and then the two conferred over a coastwise map. The librarian caused their arrest and evidence has been uncovered which may show that the library has been the rendezvous for spies for nearly a year. The two men arrested are alleged to be operatives of the German Intelligence Bureau.—[Utica Press.]

376 Wright's delivery. advt tt

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Taffetas, satin de luxe, foulards, crepe de chine and serges. Made with straight skirts, bodice in blouse or long waisted effect. Some with collar and cuffs of foulard or tan silk.

Something New Every Day in Millinery

Now the mid-seasons hats are coming to the fore—the dark straws, black and navy blue, with light touches in the way of white wings and whips, white wheat and ribbons, white crepe or straw facings; also dark straws trimmed in color. Just the kind of hats so many women want, who wish to look smart and well dressed, and have something that will stand the strain of every day wear.

Prices—\$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.75, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.75, \$9.00 to \$12.50.

Muslin Underwear

Envelope chemise 39c, 75c, 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$4.50.
Night gowns 39c, 75c, 89c, \$1.25, \$2.00 to \$5.00.
Camisoles \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 to \$3.75.

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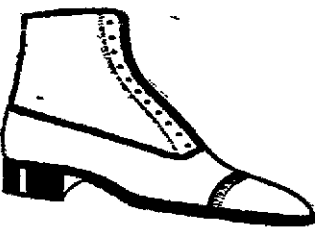
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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

Yesterday temperature:
8 a. m. - - - - - 41
2 p. m. - - - - - 72
8 p. m. - - - - - 62
Maximum, 75—Minimum, 32
Saturday, record.
8 a. m. - - - - - 38
2 p. m. - - - - - 70
8 p. m. - - - - - 52
Maximum, 73—Minimum, 30

LOCAL MENTION.

—The firemen were called out Saturday afternoon to extinguish a grass fire on the hill back of Clinton street. They anticipated a call all day yesterday, but were happily disappointed.

—Major Greene, representing the United States war department, has leased the rooms over Roman Bros. store, formerly occupied by Fred N. VanWise, and will open a recruiting station therein May 1.

—Small pieces of white or any light colored flannel are wanted at the Red Cross rooms this afternoon for the rush order of 300 housewives. Ladies willing to work on them this week phone headquarters or Mrs. F. M. H. Jackson. The work can be done at home.

—Fire alarm box 55, which was disconnected when the 7s to which it was attached was removed, has been restored, having been placed on the front of the building of Swift & Co. not far from the former location. It is easily seen and the position is more secure than formerly.

—There was a luncheon given last Saturday afternoon at the parlors of the First Presbyterian church by the April division of the ladies of the society. The luncheon embraced many wholesome and meatless dishes and was a most delicious repast. The afternoon was profitably spent in sewing for the Red Cross.

—There were two candidates for positions in the state service at the examination held by George T. Gibbs esq., at his offices last Saturday. One was for superintendent of employment in the labor bureau and the other children's assistant in Westchester county. The next examination will be held on Saturday, May 25.

—Levene Sons, who recently purchased the Titchner Culver Iron foundry, East End, have an advertisement in this issue offering the property for sale. The owners have for several days been engaged at the foundry getting the equipment in shape and unless the property is disposed of at an early date the machinery, and fixtures will be dismantled and shipped to Binghamton.

—Fire, originating from a bonfire started by several young lads after they had eaten their lunch near Round Top Saturday afternoon, got beyond control and spread rapidly over the dry fields, threatening a nearby farmhouse. After an hour's hard work, the boys, assisted by a party of Normal students and a few farmers, beat out the blaze with brooms, shovels, coats and sweaters. After it was over, all agreed that they didn't envy the fireman's job.

STEHLIN DATE POSTPONED.

Gallant Aviator Unable to Be in Oneonta Today.

Many in Oneonta who had been anxious to hear Lieut. Stehlin, the gallant American aviator who won honors in France long before the United States entered the conflict, will regret to learn that he will be unable to be in the city today. His failure to be present is due to the fact that he has been unable to cover all the appointments made for him as fast as was planned. His address in this city has accordingly been postponed for an indefinite period.

While his failure to reach the city is regretted, Chairman Butts says that the remarkable meeting of Friday night developed such enthusiasm as will keep interest in the Liberty Loan drive going in this city. Meantime, there are many places—high need stirring up, and the lieutenant will doubt do it satisfactorily.

Meetings Today.

Bible Study class, group 4, will meet with Mrs. Belle Charles, 84 Elm street this evening at 7:30.

Meeting Postponed.

The O. E. S. Social club will meet on Friday afternoon instead of Tuesday.

Rally at Schenervus Tonight.

Dr. J. C. Russell, Hon. George L. Boeckes, Hon. L. P. Butts and Secretary C. E. Westervelt go to Schenervus this evening to address a Liberty Loan rally. The meeting promises to be a big one and it is hoped that the village will go "over the top."

Only seven lots left out of the 23 placed on sale in the Miller plot on Chestnut street. These are desirable lots with excellent soil for garden. The lots will be sold on easy payments and will prove desirable investments. Inquire of F. D. Miller, 198 Main street, or J. E. Tiley, 511 Main street, advt 11.

Fifty-five acre valley farm, good house and barn, good water, lots of fruit, wood and timber, near market and school, price \$1,500. Cash payment \$300. Campbell Brothers, advt 11.

Wanted—At the Dairy Lunch room, girl to wash dishes and do general work in the kitchen. Steady employment. Phone 430-J. advt 11.

Two bell boys wanted at once at the Windsor hotel. Pay \$25 a month with board and room. advt 11.

For Sale—Oakland six and Studebaker touring car. Frank Van Eiten, 17 Broad street. advt 11.

Livery taxi. Phone 994-J. advt 11.

48 ENLIST IN NINE DAYS

TEN MEN WERE SECURED SATURDAY IN "NATION'S WANT COLUMN" DRIVE.

Success Due Largely to Special Card Sent Registered Men by Board—Number Secured Lacks Only 13 of Meeting Results Obtained by Recruiting Station in Eight Months—Another Contingent of Draft Men to Go to Camp Dix Tomorrow.

Forty-eight men voluntarily enlisted in various branches of the military service in the nine-day drive conducted by the Local Board through the issuance of the "Nation's Want Column" calling for 12,000 men all over the country qualified in 72 different occupations to join the colors. The drive closed Saturday night with ten men secured during the day. The results, according to the board, are highly satisfactory. A comparison with the work done in this city between February of last year and November by the United States army recruiting station, shows that in the intensive campaign of the past week the board came within 13 of reaching the total secured by the regular army in eight months.

The result of the drive is due largely to a special post card gotten out by the Local Board and mailed to each man in the draft whose questionnaire showed that he was fitted for any one of the large number of positions open. The card called upon the men to show their patriotism by falling into line now, and to take advantage of the opportunity of choosing their own service. State Adj. Gen. Sherrill was enthusiastic in his approval of this plan, sending a copy of the card to the Provost Marshal General for that official's information.

Those who enlisted Saturday are: Elmer E. Rowe, mechanical engineer; Burr E. Chamberlain, electrician; Charles L. Howe, sheet metal worker; Douglas E. Bailey, photographer; John H. Westfall, machinist's helper; Maxsen Ermoluk, car repairer; Nick Tinto, chauffeur; Harry G. Lambros, chauffeur; John Nugent, trainman, and Arthur Fisher, trainman.

Edwin J. Moore, chief clerk of the Local Board, last night sent in a report to State Adj. Gen. Sherrill on the results of the drive. He expects shortly to be informed as to the time for entraining the men and where to send them.

Tomorrow another draft contingent will leave this city for Camp Dix. It will be composed of 12 men from this city and 11 men from Cooperstown. The men will leave on the 5:39 train over the D. & H. for Albany where they will find a special train waiting for them. Those who are to leave have been informed to appear at the office of the Local Board, in the Oneonta hotel building at 1 o'clock this afternoon for final instructions. Men living in the city, or 1000 friends here, will be permitted to go to their home or friends' home; those from out of town will be put up at the Windsor Hotel.

John Bjork, who was inducted into service last week upon a special request from the commandant of the tank corps, will leave this morning for Fort Slocum to commence his training. He will be sent to Gettysburg, Pa., from there.

APPEAL FOR PLEDGE MONEY.

Red Cross Also Asks for Delivery of Finished Articles to Sewell Shipments.

Two appeals were issued by the local branch of the Red Cross yesterday. One calls upon the people of the city, who have pledged money toward the monthly support of the organization, to please stop in at headquarters and pay their subscriptions which were due April 1, unless they have already done so.

The other asks knitters who have finished articles to turn them in at headquarters today or tomorrow, because preparations are being made to send a large shipment of articles next Wednesday.

The proceeds of the play, "Girls Over Here," given by girls of the First Presbyterian church before a large audience at the Woman's club last Wednesday night, netted \$29.10, which has been given to the Red Cross.

Light and Gas Hearing in Albany.

On Tuesday there will be a hearing in Albany before the Public Service commission on the application of the Ithaca Gas and Electric corporation and the Oneonta Light and Power company for permission for the former company to merge the Oneonta company with itself.

Births.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Muskovin, Thursday, April 25, at Binghamton, a daughter, Jane Bassett, weight 8½ pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Muskovin are former residents of this city and their many friends extend hearty congratulations.

Commissioned as Ensign.

Intelligence has been received that Herbert Getman, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Getman, who enlisted in the Naval Reserves and has been for some time receiving instruction at the naval yards at Charlestown, Va., has been commissioned an ensign.

Beginning Monday, April 29,

Hacker & Storey will begin the regular collection of all city garbage as told in The Star. Anyone wishing to have same collected call 11-F3 Colliersville, and we will call. All garbage to be kept clean of ashes. Hacker & Storey. advt 11.

Eye glasses as supplied by Dr. G. E. Shoemaker, optometrist give best possible satisfaction. Eyes examined every Wednesday. Hours 11 to 4. Second floor, main entrance, Department Store building. advt 11.

The kind your grandmother used, and just as good now, Biwa tea. advt 11.

MEN WANTED IN SEA SERVICE

Young Men of Draft Age Urged to Enlist in United States Merchant Marine.

The drug store of Albert Hutson in this city is headquarters for the enlistment of young men between the ages of 21 and 35 years who desire to enlist in the new United States merchant marine. Ships are now being completed and in a short time many of them will be ready for service, and it is the desire of the government shipping board to have a large number of young men in training in order that they may be in readiness for the work. Mr. Hutson, who is enrolling agent for the board, has received blanks and circulars and will be pleased to give all needed information to those desiring to join this branch of service.

Men who are accepted for this service have their transportation paid to the training squadron at Boston, Massachusetts, and receive pay of \$50 per month with food and quarters during the time of training. From the time of his acceptance as an apprentice on a training ship he will be exempted from the military draft and will remain exempted as long as he remains in the service of the Merchant marine. Pay for this service runs from \$30 a month for deck boy up to \$60 for able seaman and \$75 for carpenter, with food and quarters, and a bonus of 50 per cent is added for voyages through the war zone.

All who are interested in this service, for which no previous sea-going experience is required, should call on Mr. Hutson at the drug store, 196 Main street, for further information.

DETACHMENT LEAVES TUESDAY.

Effort Will Be Made for Some Demonstration.

Tuesday morning a detachment of 12 men will leave the city at 6:30 o'clock to report for training at Camp Dix, N. J., for service with the colors and an effort is being made, no doubt as result of an increased interest in the war and a determination to show some recognition to the men, to have a delegation of citizens at the station to bid them a Godspeed.

It is understood that numerous members of the band have signified a willingness to give their services and send them off with patriotic airs ringing in their ears as evidence that the folks at home are behind them to the last in their efforts to serve the Stars and Stripes.

The list of men to go, with their addresses, follows:

Grand D. Holmes, East Worcester. Earl Wellman, 75 Main street, Oneonta.

Percy E. Smallin, 5 Fourth street, Oneonta.

George Hotelling, 14½ Broad street, Oneonta.

Ezra Burgher, 64 West Broadway, Oneonta.

Milton E. Berhammer, 48 River street Oneonta.

Russell E. Irish, 1129 Luzerne street, Scranton, Pa.

Henry G. Kuykendall, East Worcester.

Sylvester Vicidomini, 9 Prospect street, Oneonta.

Arnold E. Hopkins, 32 Center street, Oneonta.

Paul Brown, Milford.

Frederick P. Liedke, Maryland.

The following are called as alternates:

Benjamin Rowland, 300 Chestnut street, Oneonta.

Jesse Roe, R. D. 3, Worcester.

Burton Trautner, 16 Morgan avenue, Oneonta.

Frank Mills, R. D. 3, Oneonta.

Nick Pinto, 7 Prospect street, Oneonta.

Anniversary Celebrated.

Centennial lodge, I. O. O. F., of this city, quietly yet fittingly observed the ninety-ninth anniversary of the establishment of the order in America in the lodge rooms yesterday afternoon, with a good attendance of members and of Rebekahs. Sherman Stone presented Charles E. Westervelt as master of ceremonies and after a brief outline of the work and advancement of the order, Mr. Westervelt presented Dr. Charles S. Pendleton, who spoke for half an hour on service and the cardinal virtues of Odd Fellowship. His message was intensely interesting and profoundly impressive. An orchestra under the leadership of John Canning rendered several numbers and the exercises closed with the singing of America.

Graduates from Officers' Camp.

Among the list of graduates from the officers training camp at Camp McClelland at Anniston, Alabama, appears the name of C. E. Anibal of Oneonta, N. Y. Mr. Anibal is a brother of Prof. Earl H. Anibal of the Normal faculty. He has been placed upon the eligible list for appointment as second lieutenant.

Archie Ross Enlists.

Archie Ross of West Davenport, who has been employed in Oneonta for the past three years, enlisted Saturday at Walter as mechanic under the Nation's "Want Column," which closed Saturday.

Auction.

The undersigned having purchased the Clark farm of George Matson, four miles from Schenervus on Elk Creek road, will sell farm and all personal property, 20 head of cattle, one pair of horses, brood sow, and all farming tools on Monday, April 29, commencing at 12 o'clock. See large bills. J. A. Griffin, auctioneer. N. B. Travis. advt 11.

Fashion shop—See our \$15.00 silk dresses, special for Friday and Saturday. Cut prices on wool suits and coats. 176 Main street, upstairs. advt 11.

Liberty Baking Powder—the new kind, at Fagan's grocery. advt 11.

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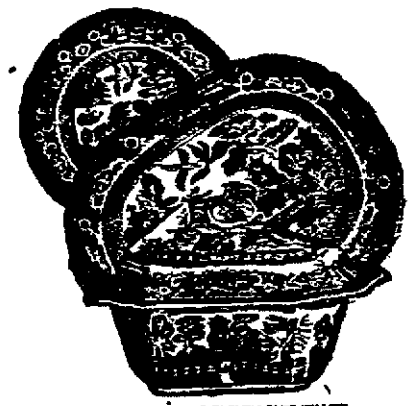
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hand, and you should get
busy and have that job esti-
mated, and place your order
so that you can have the
work done when you want
it done, and by the one you
wish to do it.

We have already filed
dates for this season, and
you should not delay but get
busy.

We will gladly reserve
you the dates you wish if
they have not already been
taken.

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PERSONALS

Irving L. Pruyn was a business visitor in Albany on Saturday.

Mrs. George Whitlock of Davenport Center was in Oneonta yesterday, on her way to Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Caulkins and family of 89 Ford avenue spent Sunday with relatives in Sharon Springs.

Mrs. Jeanne B. Johnson of 7 Normal avenue, who has been very ill for several weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. W. L. Richie, who had been visiting friends in Norwich, Sidney and Oneonta, returned home yesterday.

A. O. Dupuis of 13 Academy street was a week-end guest of friends in Watervliet, returning home yesterday.

Mrs. George Fonda of Albany is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Eckerson, 15 Valleyview street.

Miss Georgianna Seymour of the faculty of the Sidney High school was at her home in Oneonta for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Crawford of Sidney have been spending the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. F. W. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. White of Cooperstown, accompanied by friends, were in the city on Saturday on business errands.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hendrix of West Oneonta spent Wednesday and Thursday with their children and grandchildren at 21 Columbia street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hart, who were called to Greenville by the death and funeral of the former's mother, returned home last evening.

Mrs. E. Scott Farley arrived in Oneonta Saturday and is a guest for the week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Farley, on Chestnut street.

Miss Madge Whiteman, who had been visiting her parents in Oneonta over Sunday, returned yesterday to Schenectady to resume her school duties.

Mrs. Claude Jackson, Miss Dupee and Mrs. John Shaw, all of Edmeston, were in the city on Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brady of Fairview street.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Rockwell of Hartford, Connecticut, returned home Saturday, after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, 7 Tilton avenue.

Mrs. V. B. Lovejoy and daughter, Adah, who had been guests of Mrs. and Miss Youngman, 507 Main street, returned yesterday to their home in Schenectady.

First Sergeant J. J. Crotty and Sergeant C. H. Shattuck of the headquarters company at Croton Lake arrived home Saturday evening for three days furlough.

Corporal William Elder of Jersey City, who had been spending a few days with Oneonta friends, left yesterday for Camp Wadsworth at Spartanburg, S. C.

Guy Ashcraft of Milford, who had been home for a ten days' furlough, departed on Friday evening last, to return to his duties at Camp Lee at Petersburg, Va.

Captain F. M. H. Jackson and Lieutenants H. D. McLeary and L. M. Baker attended the funeral of Lieutenant O. E. Seerest at Sidney Saturday afternoon.

Leo Hurley, who was at the home of his parents in Oneonta over Sunday, returned yesterday to Schenectady to resume his studies with the General Electric works.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Whaley were in Albany on Saturday, Mrs. Whaley going to consult an oculist relative to her eyes which are causing her some trouble, we regret to state.

Charles Hecox of Springfield, a member of the Engineers' corps of the National Army at Belvoir, Va., was in Oneonta yesterday, on his way home for a two weeks' furlough.

Sheriff B. F. VanZandt, Under Sheriff O. J. Brown, District Attorney Adrian A. Pierson and Former District Attorney O. L. VanHorne, all of Cooperstown, were business visitors in the city on Saturday.

Henry W. Griffith of Palmyra, Mark W. Lowell of Chicago and Leonard Ferguson of Hammond, students of Hamilton college, were guests for the week-end of friends in Oneonta, returning by auto yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Martin departed by motor car on Saturday for Binghamton, where he will at once take up his duties as superintendent of the Binghamton district. They are to reside at 52 Chestnut street.

Mayor A. E. Ceperley arrived home Saturday evening from New York where he participated as one of the mayors of the state, representing this county in the big Liberty Day celebration and parade on Friday.

Dr. Samuel Coleman, wife and daughter of Malone arrived in Oneonta yesterday, on their way home from a winter sojourn in Florida and are guests at the home of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Edson J. Farley at the First Baptist parsonage.

Dan Sherman and company arrived in Oneonta last evening, after a very successful season of 27 weeks through the middle west, and are now at Sherman lake for the summer.

Mr. Sherman brought with him several carpenters and will at once get busy in the work of making that popular summer resort ready for business. The burning of the hotel at the lake last fall was a serious blow, but Mr. Sherman with his customary energy expects to have everything replaced before the season sets in.

Attention.
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SOLDIER COMES TO SEE MOTHER

ONLY TO FIND THAT SHE PASSED AWAY A FEW HOURS BEFORE HIS ARRIVAL.

Dis-tressing Experience of Stanley Krothe Who Soon Sails for France—Mother Mrs. Talley Krothe of Harvey Street Passes Away at Hospital.

Stanley Krothe, who some time since joined the colors and had been receiving training at a camp at Augusta, Ga., and who had been transferred only a few days since to a northern camp preparatory to sailing for France, secured a leave of absence on reaching the north, permitting him to come to Oneonta to see his mother, whose critical illness had been reported, with the understanding that he would return to camp on 24 hours notice.

Mr. Krothe reached the city yesterday at about 11 and when he called the hom at 8 Harvey street on the telephone immediately upon his arrival it became the duty of a brother to break the news to him that the mother had passed away yesterday morning at 3:30 o'clock, at the Fox Memorial hospital, where she had been an inmate for two weeks following an operation undergone recently for the relief of appendicitis. The sad experience of this soldier boy will appeal to the tender emotions and arouse the sympathy of all for the son and the family.

Mrs. Krothe's maiden name was Gwen Stephens and she was born in South Wales 55 years ago. She had resided for many years at Plymouth, Pa., but came to Oneonta about two years ago, her husband, Talley Krothe securing employment with the D. & H. here. She had twice been at the hospital, an earlier operation for tumor leaving her in a weakened condition. The family had during the past three days sent frequent telegrams to Augusta, telling the son of her condition, but these had not been received, owing to his departure for the north to sail.

Surviving her are her husband, four sons, Henry, who is now in France with Pershing, Stanley, who came yesterday to pay a final visit to his mother and family, Daniel, residing at home, and Benjamin, residing at 22½ Academy street; two daughters, Misses Minnie and Janet, residing at home; two brothers, Morgan D. Stephens, residing with the Krothes at 8 Harvey street, and John B. Stephens of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. William Hopkins, of Scranton, Pa. She leaves also three grandchildren.

There will be a short prayer service at the family home, 8 Harvey street, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. B. M. Johns of the First Methodist Episcopal church, and the body will be taken on the evening train to Wilkes-Barre, Pa., where the more extended services will be held on Wednesday and interment made.

(Wilkes-Barre papers please mention death.)

Attended Sackett Funeral.
Rev. J. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Westcott, Mrs. Lewis F. Rose and mother, Mrs. S. H. Wood, and Mrs. Celia Seaver were in Bainbridge on Saturday in attendance at the funeral of the late Rev. C. H. Sackett, whose death was noticed in these columns. Mr. Johnson, who was admitted into membership in the conference the same year as Mr. Sackett, was one of the speakers, paying tribute to the memory of the deceased at the services held from the Methodist Episcopal church.

Recent Changes at Wadsworth Sanitarium.
Mrs. Verge Nickerson of Potter Hollow, Mrs. Nathan Shapero and Mrs. Harvey Westcott, all of Oneonta, have returned home.

Mrs. Mary Peet of West Oneonta and Mrs. Claude Goodnough of Otego are at the Sanitarium for treatment.

Mrs. Amos Kniskern of 3 Cherry street was operated on Saturday for mastoids.

Klipnockie should always be served because it makes such a delicious, fragrant cup of coffee. advt 11

DEATHS

Harry G. Yates.

Harry G. Yates, of Morris, notice of whose death appeared in Thursday's Star, was born in the town of Morris Nov. 23, 1874, the youngest child of the late Capt. Geo. A. and Arianna (Durv) Yates. His whole life was spent on the farm where he was born, he having assumed entire charge of the farm since the death of his father several years ago. He was a member of the Episcopal church at Morris.

Surviving are his wife, formerly Miss Lillian Holt Spurr, of South Edmeston, to whom he was married 11 years ago; two sons, twins, George and William, aged seven; his aged mother; one brother, Franklin, and two sisters, Mrs. E. L. Morehouse of Garrettsville, and Mrs. Wm. Harris, of Morris.

The funeral was held at the house Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, his pastor, Rev. M. S. Ashton, assisted by Rev. F. G. Leonard, of the Universalist church, officiating. Interment was in the family plot in Hillington cemetery at Morris.

Mrs. Mary Hearn.

Mrs. Mary Hearn of Cobleskill, died early Sunday morning at the home of Mrs. Virgil Ogden at Leonta, aged 75 years. The body was prepared for burial and Undertaker McCrum brought the body to Oneonta later in the day and shipped it to Cobleskill on the afternoon train. Mrs. John Brandow, a niece, accompanying it from this city to Cobleskill. The deceased was the widow of the late Moses Hearn who formerly and for years conducted a large farm on the road between Richmondville and Cobleskill. She leaves one son, Frank Hearn, of New York city.

John H. Moore.

John H. Moore, formerly of this city, died at Oakland, Pa., Friday afternoon, following an operation performed about two weeks since. Mr. Moore was employed as a machinist for about two years at the D. & H. roundhouse in Oneonta. He is survived by his wife and one child, also by his mother and by three brothers, Charles A. Moore and Fred Moore of Oneonta and Arthur Moore of Susquehanna, Pa. The funeral services were held from his late home at Oakland on Sunday with interment in McCune's cemetery.

Otsdawa Red Cross.

Otsdawa, April 28.—The Otsdawa Red Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. Albert Crandall, Tuesday, April 30th. All are urged to attend.

Watch Headquarters

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Buckwheat flour, per lb . . . 85c
Purity oats, (large pkg.) . . . 23c
Butecco oats (large pkg.) . . . 27c
Oat flake, per lb 8c
Corn flake 11c
Cream of wheat 23c
Puffed wheat 2 for 25c
Puffed rice 2 for 25c
Puffed corn 2 for 25c
Shredded wheat 2 for 25c
Also other cereals.

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THIS Spring it's a part of your duty to wear stylish clothes; clothes that look cheerful and help you to feel that way. There's big work ahead for all of us and the more cheerfully we go at it, the better we'll do it.

It's cheerful also to wear clothes that save money for you. Good clothes will do it—but be sure they're good. We don't sell any other kind; we make certain that they're good for you—that makes them good for us.

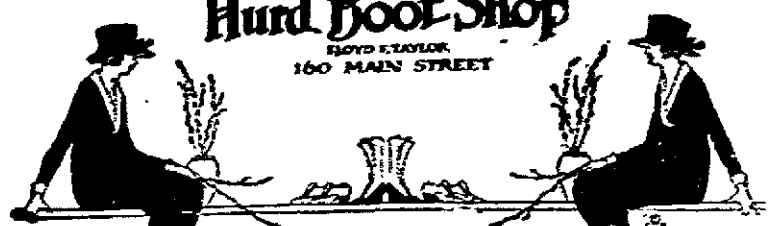
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FOOTWEAR of SPRING for WOMEN

The melting of chill winds into soft mellow breezes is but one of the signs that Oxfords and Pumps are in season—while some women will still prefer boots, this is to be essentially a season of Oxfords and Pumps.

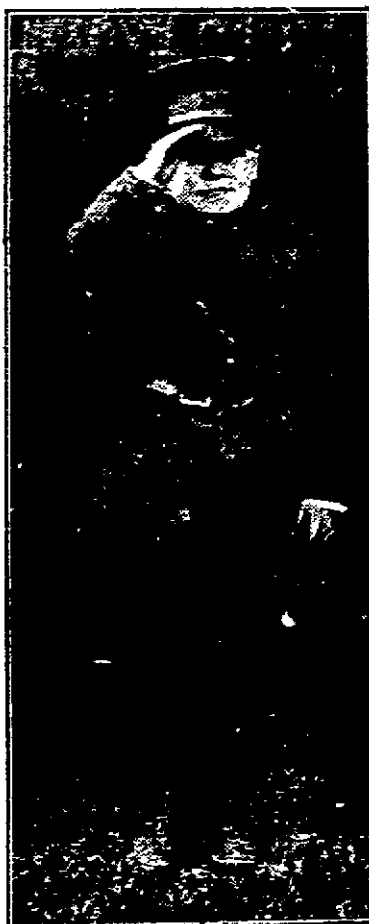
Prices—a most important consideration, are lower in this store—and values are greater—and stocks are most complete—

Women's Tan Oxfords and Pumps, \$3.95, \$4.85 and \$5.65.	Women's Dull and Patent Oxfords and Pumps, \$3.85 up.
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Special attention is directed to our specialist in fitting.

SIX YEAR OLD BOY SELLS LIBERTY BONDS

Recruiting for the Liberty Loan Legion continues to be brisk. Sherman Taylor Collier of No. 211 Main street, Banghamton, N. Y., is the youngest member of this patriotic organization. He is six years old, and has qualified for membership in the legion by sell-



SHERMAN TAYLOR COLLIER.

ing \$550 worth of bonds of the Third Loan in ten different subscriptions. Any person who obtains subscriptions for the government may become a member of the legion and wear its bronze emblem. Thus Lester M. Livingston of No. 423 Riverside drive, New York city, having turned in five subscriptions, aggregating \$500,000, has been made a legionary, but he holds no higher rank than the youngest recruit in Banghamton. Another recent recruit is Marjorie Meyer of No. 706 Madison avenue, who obtained \$11,000 in subscriptions, among them two for \$1,000 each from Alma Gluck and her husband, Ephraim Zimbalist.

MOVIE MACHINE SCARES HUN.

Abandon Attack When French Photographer Turns Crank.

A French official photographer was sent up to the Somme battlefield in the offensive of 1916 to get some pictures of the fighting. He went into the first line trenches with his moving picture machine, arriving just at the moment the Germans were starting a counter attack. The photographer thought that would be an excellent picture to get and, turning his machine toward the advancing Germans, started to grind the crank. But the Germans thought it was a new kind of machine gun and, dropping their rifles, came on with their hands above their heads, crying "Kamerad."

The photographer took 200 prisoners with his moving picture machine, and the picture was shown all through France.

There are all sorts of weapons to fight the Germans, and one of the greatest is the Liberty Bond. This we can all use, here as well as in France.

THE HEART IS VERY BUSY.

Your heart is a very busy organ. While you breathe once, it beats four times, says Popular Science Monthly. At each beat it sends four pounds of blood through your veins and arteries. The weight of the circulating blood is 20 pounds. When you run, your legs and the other parts of your body need more blood, so your heart must pump faster.

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AUCTION

Will have 20 head of horses for my sale Friday, April 19. In this lot there will be one pair of blood horses seven years old, weighing 2,600 lbs. Also one pair black horses, nine years old, weighing 2,400 lbs.; one sorrel pacer formerly broken; has a mark of 2:12.

PRIVATE SALES DAILY

William M. Anderson
360 1/2 Main Street, Oneonta, N. Y.

HEAD SEVERED FROM BODY

BOOZE PROBABLY CAUSE OF DEATH OF LOUIS BROWER OF NORTHFIELD.

Lifeless Body Found Saturday Evening on Railroad Track Near Walton.—Had Spent the Day in Oneonta. Deland, April 28.—The body of Louis Brower of Northfield was found near the O. & W. tracks at North's crossing about a half mile from the Walton station, Saturday evening, at about 9 o'clock, by Douglas Warner, a lad who was passing. The head had been severed from the body and was some 50 feet away from the trunk. Officer Wakeman of Walton was notified and he in turn called Dr. C. R. Woods of this village who with Dr. Morrow of Walton, visited the scene and viewed the body and then directed that the body be removed to the Holmes undertaking rooms and prepared for burial. Corner Wood's was unable to secure any definite information as to how the man lost his life, although some circumstances would indicate the probable cause. He will therefore hold an inquest, which will commence at Walton Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Brower was 30 years of age and resided with his mother at Northfield. He was employed by Alfred McLaughlin as a teamster. He spent the day Saturday in Oneonta and arrived at Northfield, returning early in the evening.

It is known that a troop train passed through Northfield after his return and it is surmised that he boarded that train when it left and may have lost his life in attempting to leave the train at Walton. Upon his person when found was one quart and one pint bottle of whiskey which it is understood were purchased while he was in Oneonta, one report being that he had four quarts when he left that city.

Bring in Maxwell Cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Gardner and daughter, Mildred, also Harold Clark and Herman Thomas, all of Hartwick, and Harry Cooke and Mrs. P. C. Smith of Cooperstown went to Springfield, Mass., on Friday and were expected to arrive home last evening, after having driven through from that city five new Maxwell cars from the factory there. Mr. Gardner is the agent at Hartwick and Mr. Cook at Cooperstown.

No matter how highly you recommend it, too much cannot be said about the perfectly blended, economical, popular priced Otsego coffee.

Hold Club Meeting Here.

The stockholders of the Forest Lake club, which owns a lake in the town of Hardenburg, Ulster county, for trout fishing preserve, held its annual meeting at the supreme court chambers in this city on Saturday, with the following from away in attendance: Justice Charles E. Nichols of Jefferson, Charles L. Andrus, general counsel for the O. & W. railroad, of Stamford and New York, Joel L. Keator of Fleischmanns, William Hubbell of Kelly Corners, E. W. Simmons of Bloomville and A. M. Warner of Stamford. Judge Kellogg is a member of the club. The club elected Mr. Hubbell president and Mr. Andrus secretary and treasurer.

376 Wright's delivery. advt 17

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The arrival of many delayed shipments of spring garments has greatly overcrowded our display racks and the women of Oneonta and vicinity are to reap the benefit of this condition. Here, right at the very height of the season, we announce drastic reductions in a sale of Women's and Misses' Suits, Dresses and Coats. Every model is highly desirable and in the wide assortment all the new ideas for spring are represented. You can come expecting a remarkable sale.

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Attractive Suits of Serge. Poplins, belted or pleated models, with mannish or fancy collars. In this lot are Suits worth up to \$32.50. Our price \$19.75 and \$21.75.



DRESSES

Stylish Dresses of Silk Taffetas, Crepes, Foulards, Men's Wear Serges, Plaids, in short, everything that is new and correct and pretty that has been established as the vogue for spring. Values up to \$20. Our price \$12.75 and \$14.98.

A Mighty Sale of Spring Coats

Beautiful Spring Coats — The pick of the show rooms of many leading coat manufacturers. The season's choicest styles, most wanted fabrics and most popular colors. Loose, light weights and every variation of the trench and sport model. A wonderful variety and really tremendous values. In this week's sale at \$12.95, values up to \$20.00; at \$17.95, values up to \$25.00; at \$19.50, values up to \$27.50.

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Special lot of Voiles and novelty stripes. Regular \$1.50 values at .98c. Attractive models in Crepe de Chine, novelty Silk stripes. A special showing at \$2.98. Dainty designs in Georgette, Crepe de Chine, with Embroidery, Tucks and touches of Lace; new collar effects; \$5.00 values at \$3.98

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Pursuant to an order of Shibley L. Huntington, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Emily Catherine Reynolds, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at the store of George Irving Reynolds, 100 Main street in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the fifteenth day of August, next.
Dated, February 3, 1918.
GEORGE IRVING REYNOLDS,
JOHN A. REYNOLDS, Executors.
W. I. Bolton, Attorney for Executors, Oneonta, N. Y.

AMERICAN BUSINESS MENACED BY GERMANY

Senator Cummins of Iowa Tells Why Third Loan Should Be a Success.

American business, according to United States Senator Albert B. Cummins, will be gravely menaced if Germany wins the war. Senator Cummins says:

"It must be apparent to every man or woman in the United States that if Germany wins this war our country will lose not only its independence, its standing, its honor as a nation, but its right to do business with the world as a free people.

"It must be just as apparent that if we are to prevent this indescribable calamity, we must marshal all our strength, and utilize all our resources in opposition to the boundless and remorseless ambitions of the enemy. "We will shortly have two millions of our boys under arms, and their lives are at stake in the mighty struggle. Those of us who remain in safety at home will be forever disgraced if we do not promptly and fully sustain the men who are to do the fighting. These soldiers are not strangers; they are your sons, brothers and husbands. We must do everything that human power can do to protect them against the dangers of the camp, the transport and the battlefield. They will do their part bravely and heroically, even to the last and sad sacrifice.

"Will you just as unselfishly and patriotically do your part? I cannot doubt it; and your response to the call for the Third Liberty Loan will be the conclusive evidence of your affection for your boys in the field and for free institutions among men."

MOTHER A SUICIDE

Drowns Herself in Creek—Six Children Surviving.

The death of Mrs. Roscoe Holliway of Burlington Flats occurred in a very tragic manner some time in the early morning of April 19. Mrs. Holliway was the mother of six children and her surroundings were not of the most pleasant nature, and at times her nervous condition over-powered her and it is supposed that such was the case when she took her life.

She left her home about 1 a. m. and nothing was heard of her until daybreak, when farmers were crossing the Wharton bridge about 12 miles north of the village. Earl Dauchy was the first to discover the body. He saw a clothes line tied to the bridge and near by a cap. He investigated and found that Mrs. Holliway had evidently tied the line around her waist to avoid floating down stream and make sure her intention, as below the bridge the water was very shallow.

Mrs. Holliway was a native of Norway and Mr. Holliway married her in Michigan where several relatives reside. She was a kind-hearted woman and much attached to her children, who are left without a mother's care. She was 25 years of age. Her funeral was held Monday afternoon from the home, her mother and sister of Michigan arriving Saturday for the funeral.

Graduates From R. P. I. This Week.

Riley Crippen of Oneonta will be graduated from the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, at Troy, at the annual commencement of the class of 1918 next Wednesday, May 1, with the degree of mechanical engineer. The Troy Polytechnic has advanced the date of graduation six weeks this year so that the young engineers who desire may enter military service or the war work for which their course has made them especially valuable to the nation. Mr. Crippen is a graduate of the Oneonta High school and at the Institute has been prominent in student activities.

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